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## ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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### **SUPERINTENDENT TOM HORNE & MCDONALD'S® ANNOUNCE PLANS TO HONOR ARIZONA TEACHERS IN RECOGNITION OF TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK**

### **MCDONALD'S TO PROVIDE FREE FRUIT & WALNUT PREMIUM SALADS TO 50,000 ARIZONA TEACHERS**

PHOENIX (Thursday, April 29, 2005) – Arizona Schools Chief Tom Horne and McDonald's Owner/Operators of Arizona will hold a media/photo opportunity Tuesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, to announce plans to honor teachers statewide with a special healthy meal in recognition of Teacher Appreciation Week, May 1 - 7.

A leading advocate of legislation requiring schools to offer healthier food products, Superintendent Horne will support McDonald's offer to provide free Fruit & Walnut Salads to 50,000 Arizona teachers statewide.

Kenilworth Elementary teachers and students will be the first to be served McDonald's new Fruit & Walnut Premium Salad as part of a Teacher Appreciation Week celebration and official launch of the new McDonald's product in Arizona. Kenilworth Elementary School was recently given the 2004-2005 "A+ School Excellence Award" by the Arizona Education Foundation.

**WHO:** Arizona Schools Chief Tom Horne and McDonald's of AZ to hold media/photo opportunity honoring Arizona teachers during Teacher Appreciation Week.

**WHEN:** Tuesday, May 3, 2005

**TIME:** 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.  
11:45 a.m. Announcement by Superintendent Horne and McDonald's

**WHERE:** Kenilworth Elementary School, "A+ School of Excellence"  
Cafeteria  
1210 N. 5<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Phoenix, AZ 85003

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